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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES, LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES LLC,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

EDWARD L. SLEEPER,

Defendant.

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (SMB)

SIPA Liquidation

(Substantively Consolidated)

Adv. Pro. No. 10-04497 (SMB)

NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE OF CERTAIN CLAIMS AND DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE OF CERTAIN CLAIMS IN ADVERSARY PROCEEDING

Irving H. Picard (the "Trustee"), as trustee for the liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78aaa, et seq., and the substantively consolidated estate of Bernard L. Madoff individually, by and through his counsel Baker & Hostetler LLP, and pursuant to Rule 7041(a)(1)(A)(i) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (making Rule 41(a)(1)(A)(i) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure applicable in adversary proceedings), hereby dismisses Counts Two through Six of the Complaint with prejudice. The Trustee also dismisses County Seven of the Complaint without prejudice. This Notice shall have no effect on or application to the Trustee's remaining claims in Count One and Count Eight of the Complaint. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 7041(a)(1)(A)(i), the Trustee is permitted to voluntarily dismiss claims in this adversary proceeding without further order of the Court by filing this Notice of Dismissal. As of the date hereof, Defendant Edward Sleeper has not filed or served an answer or a motion for summary judgment.

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